

Nonprofit of the Month: UW Credit Union



The University of Wisconsin Credit Union is a non-profit financial institution founded in 1931. The institution exists to serve all University of Wisconsin System students, faculty, staff, alumni, and their families as well as individuals who work, reside, or attend school within 5 miles of a branch.

This historic organization was famously founded by six UW professors in the basement of the UW Student Housing Bureau. Unbeknownst to them, the UW Credit Union climbed to become a financial giant in the state of Wisconsin, and came to secure an enormous \$1.1 billion dollars in total assets in January 2011. Today, the organization employees 341 Wisconsinites.

The UW Credit Union serves our community in a myriad of ways. Their services are tailored to help Wisconsin neighbors at any level of financial aptitude. They are leaders in providing financial lending for education and within-your-means home financing alternative options. Additionally, they provide college scholarships, support and sponsor local events, and donate to charitable organizations. The UW Credit Union has been a prominent benefactor to Wisconsin communities.

For more information on the UW Credit Union, click here.